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LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., and KELLY & Co. TOTICE is hereby given that, in conformity with the Conditions under which the DEBENTURES of the above Company were issued, the following Numbers of Debentures to be Paid off in Hongkong on the 30th day of June instant, when the Interest thereon will cease to be payable, were on this 4th day of June instant Deawn at the Office of Messieurs Jardine, Mathe-AUTHORISED CAPITAL£2,000,000 SON AND COMPANY, the General Agents of the Company, in the presence of the Under-signed Notary.

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37	225	395	518
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49	237	400	527
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66	251	405	533
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104	290	429	553
105	292	436	567
107	299	441	568
108	301	443	569
109	308	447	571
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132	320	458	574
133	325	461	575

The above DEBENTURES will be Paid at the Office of the Undersigned General Agents on and after the 30th June instant.

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For the CHINA SUGAR REFINING COMPANY. LIMITED

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

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General Agents. Countersigned. VICTOR H. DEACON. Notary Public, Hongkong.

Hongkong, 4th June, 1886. THE DAIRY FARM COMPANY, LIMITED.

TOTICE is hereby given that the General MEETING of the above Company will be held on THURSDAY, the 8th day Summer 1. HOSE. of July proximo, at the Office of the Company, No. 5, Stanley Street, Victoria, Cholera BELTS. Hongkong, at 12 o'Clock, Noon, in Conformity with the Provisions made under Gentlemen's UMBRELLAS. Ordinance No. 10 of 1877, Section 38.

Dated the 23rd day of June, 1886. A. P. STOKES, Secretary.

DULES OF THE HONGKONG 1216 P. SAVINGS BANK HONGKONG HOTEL ROTISSERIE 1.—The business of the above Bank will

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LOUIS HAUSCHILD, HONGKONG HOTEL Co., LIMITED. Hongkong, June 4, 1886.

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> For further Particulars, apply to W. KERFOOT HUGHES.

Agent Pedder's bireet. Hongkong, February 17, 1886.

Business Notices.



ORDERS

THIS TEA,

should be sent in not later than

Monday, the 28th Instant. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Hongkong, June 26, 1886.

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A LPHONSE DAUDET-Tartarin sur Memoires de Cora Pearl-Douzième Mille, PIERRE DELCOURT-Le Dernier des Par-2.—Sums less than \$1. or more than \$250 | CREAMS will be Ready from Noon every | CHARLES TABABAUD-L's Legon D'Amour. RAPHAEL LIGHTONE-Séduite. FRIICIEN CHAMPSAUR-Le Cerveau de Paris. 'Qui'ni 'Que.'

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ALEXIS BOUVIER-L'Armèe du Orime. CHARLES MAYET-Le Dernier Caprice. Hongkong, June 12, 1886.

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NOTICE. HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

CHIPMASTERS and ENGINEERS are respectfully informed that, if upon their arrival in this Harbour, NONE the Company's FOREMEN should be hand, Orders for REPAIRS if sent to the HEAD OFFICE, No. 14, Prays Central, will receive prompt attention. In the Event of Complaints being found necessary, Communication with the Undersigned is requested, when immediate steps will be taken to rectify the cause of dis-

estimisation. D. GILLIES, Hongkong, August 25, 1885.

Notices to Consignees. Intimations.

NOTICE.

1845.

ON and after 1sr July Next, the COST of STAMPS on all DRAFTS Issued by the Undersigned BANKS will have to be paid for, by the Purchasors. For the 'Chartered Mercantile Bank of India, London and China,'

JOHN-THURBURN, Manager, Hongkong. For the 'Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China,' T. H. WHITEHEAD.

Manager, Hongkong. For the 'Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, JOHN WALTER, Acting Chief Manager.

For the 'Comptoir d'Escompte de Paris,' C. INCHBALD,

For the New 'Oriental Bank Corporation,

Limited, H. A. HERBERT Manager, Hongkong. Hongkong, June 9, 1886. CHINESE IMPERIAL GOVERNMENT

8 % LOAN or 1884, LOAN B. THE INTEREST due 30th June current of the above LOAN will be PAID at

the Offices of this Corporation on and after that date. For the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking CORPORATION,

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Hongkong, June 9, 1885. Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION. TYTHE Undersigned has received instructions from Captain LYALL, R.A., to

Sell by Public Auction, on TUESDAY

THE WHOLE OF HIS

OUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c., comprising :--OREIGNNE-GOVERED DRAWING-ROOM

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and WASHSTAND. A COTTAGE PIANO, by J. BROADWOOD

Catalogues will be issued. TERMS OF SALE.—As customary. J. M. ARMSTRONG. Auctioneer.

Hongkong, June 22, 1886.

For Sale. FOR SALE.

TULES MUMM & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE,

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UNION LINE.

FROM LONDON, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

requested to send in their Bills of Lading to from alongside.

at Consignees' risk and expense, and no Fire Insurance will be effected. Optional Cargo will be forwarded on to JAPAN, unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon To-DAY, the 28th Inst. presented to the Undersigned on or before

the 5th Proximo, or they will not be re-RUSSELL & Co..

Hongkong, June 26, 1886.

cognised.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship Wingsang, having artheir Goods-with the exception of Salt-

Goods from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge will be anded at the Kowloon Piers, and there

less notice to the contrary begiven before meet the requirements of tropical climates. 4 p.m. To-DAY, the 24th Instant.
No Claim will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all the 20th June, 1886, at 2 p.m., at his Goods remaining after the 30th Instant will e subject to rent.

All Claims must reach us before 4 p.m. of the 4th Proximo, or they will not be No Fire Insurance will be effected.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Hongkong, June 24, 1886.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

immediately after landing. Optional Cargo will beforwarded on, unless intimation is received from the Consignees before 2 p.m. To-DAY (Thursday), re-

the Undersigned. Goods remaining unclaimed after THUES. DAY, the 1st July, at Noon, will be subject to rent, and landing charges at I All Claims must be sent in to me on or

before SATURDAY, the 3rd July, or they will not be recognised. No Fire Insurance has been effected. G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

FROM LONDON, PENANG AND SINGAPORE:

THE S.S. Glenlyon having arrived I from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Undersigned, whence and/or from the Wharves or Boats delivery may be obtained.

29th Instant will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

Hongkong, June 22, 1886. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

MONSIGNEES of the following Cargo are requested to send in their Bills of sding to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery. This Cargo has been landed and stored at their risk and expense.

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Hongkong, June 24, 1886.

RUSSELL & Co.,

UNION LINE. FOR YOKOHAMA AND HIOGO.

The Steamship Northern, Capt. Richardson, will be despatched for the above Port on WEDNESDAY, the 30th

Instant, at 3 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co.

AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S

STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY. STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO.

BOMBAY, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, BRINDISI AND TRIESTE. Taking Cargo at through rates to CAL-CUTTA, MADRAS, PERSIAN

ADRIATIC PORTS.) The Co.'s Steamship Capt. E. Perini, will be despatched as above on FRIDAY, the 2nd July, at Noon. For further Particulars, regarding Freight and Passage, apply to the Action of the

O. BACHRACH,

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

CALCUTTA. The Co.'s Steamship Wingsang, Capt. STE. CROIX, will be despatched for the above

This Steamer has superior First-class Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, un- Accommodation, specially constructed to For Freight or Passage, apply to

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers.

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For Freight or Passage, apply to N. MODY & Co.,

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The Co.'s Steamship Bormida will be despatched as above on or about the To be followed by the Steamer Manilla on or about the 3rd August The Steamers have splendid Accommoda-

tion for Passengers and carry a Doctor and Stewardess. For further Particulars regarding Freight and Passage, apply to

Hongkong, June 24, 1886. Sailing Vessels.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The 3/3 L.1.1 American Ship

St. David.
FROM, Master, will load here
for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, June 2, 1886.

FOR NEW YORK. PENDLETON, Master, will load here for the above Port, and The 3/3 L.1.1. American Ship

> RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, June 15, 1886.

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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

ITHE Steamship Northern, Captain RICHARDSON, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Steamer will be at once landed and stored All Claims against the Steamer must be

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

rived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that petre-are being landed at their risk into Mesers. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.'s may be obtained.

THE Steamship Celtic Monarch, Captain HILDITCH, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature by the Undersigned, and to take immediate delivery of their

stored in Godowns at Consignes' risk and

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

STEAMSHIP SAGHALIEN.

MARITIMES. Hongkong, June 23, 1886.

ONSIGNEES of Cargo from London. Antwerp, Havre, and Bordeaux, ex Steamships Cordonan, Opal and Cambrad, in connection with the above Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods-with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables-are being landed and stored at their risk at the Company's

questing it to be landed here.

cent per package per diem,

Hongkong, June 24, 1886.

Ontional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 3 p.m. To-DAY, the 22nd Instant. Cargo remaining undelivered after the

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Mongkong, June 4, 1886.

Hongkong, June 24, 1886.

GULF, BLACK SEA, LEVANT and

Company, Praya Central.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND

Ports on SATURDAY, the 3rd July, at

Hongkong, June 24, 1886. FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND

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UNITED COMPANIES.

MARSEILLES.

CARLOWITZ & Co.,

For Freight, apply to

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Godowns, at West Point, whence delivery Hongkong, June 25, 1886. Saltpetre impeding the discharge will be at once landed and stored at Consignees' VIEWS OF HONGKONG risk and expense. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 1st July will be subject to rent. NOW READY, All Claims must be made immediately as none will be entertained after the 1st July. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., MANUFACTURERS General Managers. Hongkong, June 24, 1886. Hongkong, June 18, 1886. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM NEW YORK AND SINGAPORE.

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MacEWEN, FRICKEL & Co. Hongkong, February 10, 1886.

To-day's Advertisements.

FOR SHANGHAL The Steamship Peking. Captain G. HEUERMANN above Port TO-MORROW, the 28th Inst., at 4 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, June 28, 1886. NETHERLANDS INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR BATAVIA, SAMARANG AND

SIEMSSEN & Co.

SOURABAYA, VIA SAIGON AND SINGAPORE. The Co.'s Steamship Captain Joon, will be despatched as above TO-MORROW, the 29th Instant, at 4 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to Jardine, Matheson & Co.,

Agents. Hongkong, June 28, 1886. DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY,

LIMITED. FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOODHOW. The Co.'s Steamship Capt. S. Ashton, will be despatched for the above

Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 30th Inst., at For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, June 28, 1886.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SHANGHAL

(Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for CHEFOO, TIENTSIN, NEW-CHWANG, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSZE.) The Co.'s Steamship Captain Bremner, will be despatched as above on-THURSDAY, the 1st July, at 4 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, June 28, 1886.

THE OHINA & MANILA STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR MANILA VIA AMOY.

The Co.'s Steamship Esmeralda. Capt. G. Tayler, will be despatched for the above Ports on SATURDAY, the 3rd July, at 5 p.w.

For Freight or Passage, apply to Russkil & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, June 28, 1896.

To-day's Advertisements.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Co.'s Steamship

Captain CHRINES, will be despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 30th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Agents. Hongkong, June 28, 1886. FOR SINGAPORE AND PENANG. The British Steamship

will be despatched for the above Ports on or about the 6th July. For Freight or Passage, apply to

ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Agents.Hongkong, June 28, 1886. FROM LONDON AND SINGAPORE.

THE S.S. Glenfruin having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their. Goods with the exception of Opium, are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Undersigned, whence and/or from the Wharves or Boats delivery may be

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before: Noon Cargo remaining undelivered after the 5th July will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Agents. Hongkong, June 28, 1886. NOTICE OF AWARD.

O'Clock a.m., at the Office of the 'Residence Supérieure,' Hanoï, there will be a Public AWARD of the CONTRACT for the MAIL SERVICE (Messageries Fluviales) on the RIVERS of TONKIN. Persons wishing to Tender can inspect

the List of Conditions and Specifications:-1° At the Office of the 'Résidence Supérieure,' Hanoï. 2° At the Office of the 'Residence.' 3° At the Office of the Direction de tons, General.—Russian Volunteer Fleet

l'Interieur, 'Saïgon.' And at the French Consulate, Hongkong, where it will be kept on file from the 26th of June to the 13th of July. Said Persons shall be required; 1° to inform, before that date, by writing and if necessary by telegraph the 'Resident Superiour' in Tonkiu, of their intention to Tonder; 2° to be represented at the Award

Hongkong, June 28th, 1886. J. RIGOREAU 1249 Acting Consul for France, Hongkong. AWARD OF THE OPIUM FARM IN

by a mandatary.

TONKIN. LIHE MONOPOLY for the IMPORT. TRANSPORTATION and SALE of OPIUM WITHIN the THIRTEEN PROVINCES of TONKIN, will be Awarded on the 20th day of July

1886, at 9 o'Clock a.m. in the Office of the 'Résidence Supérieure 'Hanoï. The List of Conditions and Specifications as well as the Ordinance regulating said Monopoly are on file at the French Consul-

ate, Hongkong, for inspection of Persons wishing to make Tendera. Hongkong, June 28th, 1886.

J. RIGOREAU 1250 Acting Consul for France, Hongkong.

BANKS.

INSURANCES.

longkong and Shanghai Bank Corp. 60,000

North-China Insurance Co., Ld..... 5,000 £

Yangtaza Insurance Company, Ld.... 8,000 2

Union Insurance Society Co., Ld.... 10,000 5 China Traders' Insurance Co., Ld.... 24,000 5

Canton Insurance Office Co., Ld..... 10,000 3

Chinese Insurance Co., Limited..... 1,500 8

Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ld... 8,000 \$

China Fire Insurance Co., Ld. 20,000 8

HK. C. and M. Steamboat Co., Ld. 8,000 8

Douglas Steamship Co., Limited 20,000 \$

Indo-China S. N. Company, Limited 18, 387 €

China and Manila S. S. Co., Ld..... 3,500 \$

H'kong & Whampos Dock Co., Ld. 12,500

HK. and China Gas Co., Limited. 1 5,000 £

Hongkong Hotel Company, IA... \ 2,000 \$

Selangore Tin Mining Co. (Shai) 2,500 \$

Punjom & Sunghie Dua Samatan 40,000 \$

H'kong Rope Manufactory Co., Ld. 3,000 &

H. & M. Glass Manufacturing Co.... 4,000 \$

Chinese Imp. (Ok. Bank Loan) 1885 2790

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STEAMBOAT COMPANIES.

MISCELLANEOUS.

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To-day's Advertisements. FROM HAMBURG, PENANG AND

SINGAPORE.

FITHE Steamship Lydia, Captain Voss, having arrived from the above Ports. Consignous of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and stored at their risk into the Godowns of the Undersigned, whence and/or from the Wharves or Boats delivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 1

p.m. To-pay, the 28th Instant. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 4th July will be subject to rent. Goods have left our Godowns. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

SIEMSSEN & Co.,

· Agents. Hongkong, June 28, 1886.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on TUESDAY,

the 13th July, 1886, at 3 p.m., at the Office of Messrs. DAVID SASSOON, SONS &

FARM LOT No. 38, PORFOOLUM, With the BUILDINGS thereon, known as Messis. Sassoon's Bungalow. Crown Lease for the unexpired portion 75 years. Aren: 165 acres. Crown Rent, \$48 per annum.

To be Sold subject to an existing lease expiring on the 28th February, 1887. For further Particulars, apply to the Undersigned. G. R. LAMMERT,

Auctioneer. Hongkong, June 28, 1886.

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

June 27, 1886 .--Peking, British steamer, from Whampon Velox, German steamer, from Whampon. Alwine, German steamer, 400, P. Moos, Haiphong June 25. General. - A. R. MARTY. Moskoa, Russian transport, 2,244, O. Radloff, Odessa via Singapore June 22, 1,300

Signal, German steamer, 385, C. A. Hundewadt, Pakhoi June 24, and Hoihow 26,

General.—Stembsen & Co. Partridge, British steamer, 353, J. Stavers, Pakhoi June 24, and Hoihow 26, General -GIBB, Lavingston & Co. Lydia, German steamer, 1,070, T. P. Voss, Singapore June 20, General.—Siems-

Glenfruin, British steamer, 1,936, E. Norman, London May 19, and Singapere June 21, General - JABDINE, MATHESON &

Canton, British steamer, 1,111, Bremner, Shanghai June 23, General. - JARDINE, MA-

Yoritomo Maru, Japanese stramer, 642 B. Gall, Kutchinotzu June 21, Ccal.-MITSUI BUSSAN KAISHA. Galley of Lorne, British steamer, 1,380 Pomroy, Kutchinotzu June 21, Coal .-

RUSSELL & Co. Wm Le Lacheur, British barque, 815, J H. Veitch, Newcastle May 8, Coal.—Arn-HOLD, KARBERG & CO.

Sanderson, Saigon June 23, Rice. -- ADAM- and amah, Mr Loe Shang Kee and child son, Bell & Co.

Vortigera, British steamer, 876, J. Brown. Saigon June 23, Rico, - CHENESE, Danube, British steamer, 501, W. H.

Watton, Baugkok June 20, General -YUEN FAT HONG. Iolani, British steamer, 986, E. Allason, Swatow June 26, General .- ARMIOLD, KAR-Bring & Co.

"June 28:--Parthia, British steamer, 2,035, Alex. Marshall, Amoy June 27, Tea and General Russell & Co. Ashington, British steamer, 809, W.

Reynell, Chinking June 22, Rice. - SIEMS-San Pablo, American steamer, 2,112, Reed, San Francisco June 2, and Yokohama No Claims will be admitted after the 22. Mails and General. -O. & 0, 8. S. Co.

Teheran, British steamer, 2,000, F. H. Seymour, Yokohama June 19, Mails and General. -P. & O. S. N. Co. Celebes, Dutch steamer, 1,450, J. C. Grebe

de Haan, Amoy June 27; General.-JAR-1244 DINE, MATHEBON & Co. Charon Wattana, Sismese barque, C. F. Ulrich, Bangkok June 14, Wood, - CHIMESE.

> DEPARTURES. June 27:--

Canton, for Whampos. Palinurus, for Singapore and London. Ulysses, for Amoy and Shanghal. Thales, for Coast Ports. Atholl, for Singapore.

Cheang Hock Kian, for Swatow. June 28:-Walls Castle, for Manila Gotha, for Royal Roads (B.C.) Ashington, for Whampon. Melita, for Haiphong. Iduna, for Amoy and Tamsui.

Velox, for Chefoo. Fokien, for Amov and Tamsui. Zafiro, for Amoy and Manila. Formosa, for Swatow.

Signal, for Hoihow and Pakhol.

CLEARED. Sarthe, for Newchwang. Iolani, for Singapore. Moskva, for Viadivostock. Yoritomo Maru, for Kutchinotzu. Tritos, for Hangeue Bay.

PASSENGERS.

Per Alwine, from Haiphong, Comte A. Illiers, and 4 Chinese. Per Moskoa, from Odessa, &c., Admiral and Mrs Chestakoff (Russian Marine Minis-

ter, and Aide-de-Camp to H. I. H. Grand Duke Alexis), Mr Abaza, Duke B. Golitrine. Duke A. Golizine, Mr Ebergard, Colonel Gorinzof, and 12 Europeans. Per Signal, from Pakhoi, &c., 48 Chinese. Per Partridge, from Pakhoi, &c., 8 Chi-

Per Lydia, from Singapore, 2 Chinese. Per Glenfruin, from London, &c., Miss Michie, and 86 Chiuese, for Hongkong; Mt Touzalin, for Amoy; Mrs Jansen and family, The

and Mr Luhrs, for Shanghai. Per Canton, from Shanghai, 95 Chinese. Per Rochampton, from Saigon, 36 Chinese. Per Vortigern, from Saigon, 135 Chinese. Per Danube, from Bangkok, 10 Chinese. Per Iolani, from Swatow, 450 Chinese. Per Parthia, from Amoy: for Hongkong, Mr Johnson ; for New York, Hon. E. J.

Smithers (U.S. Consul General). The usual hours will be observed in closing Per San Pable, from San Francisco &c. Messrs Robt: Grosby, Hwang Sit Chuen, Wong Che Hem, and 95 Chinese.

Per Teheran, from Yokohama : for Hongkong, Mr A. Death, Dr. W. Ficlliott, Mr H. Kuhlman, Lieut, J. D. Anderson, Mr. Grundy and servant, Miss J. Branthy, Messrs C. J. Stromblad, J. McClosky, D. Rochampton, British steamer, 1,390, R. Watson, Mr and Mrs Austen, 3 children Day of Departure,-Noon. -- Money Order Office closes. for London, Mr and Mrs Durant.

Vessels Advertised as Loading.

Destination.	Vessels.	Captain.	Agents.	Date of Leaving.
London, via Suez Canal	Sarpedon (s)	Chrimes		June 29, at 4 p.m. June 30. July 1, at 4 p.m.
Marseilles, &c., via Saigon	Esmeralda (5)	Tayler Lequerré	Russell & Co	July 3, at 5 p.m. July 8, at noon.
New York, via Suez Canal New York	Parthia (s)	Marshall Pendleton	Russell & Co	June 20, at 3 p.m. Quick despatch. July 3, at 3 p.m.
San Francisco, via Yokohama San Francisco Shanghai	San Pablo (5) St. David Poking (5)	Frost G. Henermann	Russell & Co	Quick depatch. June 29, at 4 p.m.
Shanghai	Canton (5)	d'A. de St. Croix	M. Mody & Commission	July 3, at 3 p.m. About July 6.
Singapore and Penang Swatow, Amoy and Foothow	Haiphong (s)	S. Ashton E. Perini	Adamson, Bell & Co Douglas Lapraik & Co O. Bachrach Russell & Co	June 30, at noon. July 2, at noon.
Yokohama and Hiogo	Northern (s)	Kichrason	Russon & Cu	pune ov, av o pint.

SHARE LIST.-QUOTATIONS.

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Denmark. Egypt. Falkland Is. June 28, 1886. Foochow. Gambia. Paid- POSITION PER LAST REPORT. Last Dividend Closing Quitations, * Germany. Gibraltar. Gold Coast £2 div., & 10/ Hankow. 63,800.38 bonus 1-year 180 % prem. to Dec. 31, '85 Hawaii. Hoihow. 812,639.35 for 1884 Hongkong Holland. Honduras, (Br.)

439,089.41 \$31 p. sh. /84 \$90 200,773.71 18 % \$\psi \text{annum} \\$79 465,214,43 10 % 2,868.89 6 % for 1885 \$175 per share 283,482.55 827.50 for '84 \$417 n buyers

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and are paid less a small discount of about 34,522.0 8 % half year \$80 prem., cash allow. All such orders must be expressed 402.22 12 % yearend-ing June 3 /85 858 cash in British currency. 3.—The commission charged is as follows 117.16.7 3 % for 1884 1 % prem. drawn in). 25 discount Up to £ 2, or \$10, or B 20,.....0.20 cents.

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., £ 5, or \$25, or R 50,....0.40 £ 7, or \$35, or B 70,....0.60 ,, £10, or \$50, or £100,.....0.80 ,, - R150,...\$1.00. 4.-No Order must exceed £10 or \$50 (unless drawn on India, when R150 is the limit), nor will more than two such Orders

the same payee, by the same mail. .5. -- Money Orders on the United Kingdom for sums not exceeding £5 are granted by means of Postal Notes, as to which see separate notice or the Hongkong Postal

be issued to the same person, in favour of

6.—Sums not exceeding \$50 may be remitted between the Ports of China by means of Postage Stamps, subject to s charge of one per cent. for cashing them or Money Orders can be granted at Hongkong or Shanghal on Porta where there are Agennies of the Hongkong Post Office.

* By means of Posts Notes.

Not Responsible for Debts Per Ulysses, for Shanghai, 120 Chinese. Per Melita, for Haiphong, 20 Chinese. Teither the Captain, the Agents, nor Per Thaks, for Coast Ports, 300 Chinese.

Per Cheang Hock Kian, for Swatow, 340 any Debt contracted by the Officers or Crew of the following Vessels, during Per Fokien, for Amoy, &c., 100 Chihese. their stay in Honghong Harbour :-Por Zafiro, for Amoy, &c., 100 Chinese. Per Formosa, for Swatow, 200 Chinese.

DEPARTED

MAILS will close:-

the 29th inst.

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For HAIPHONG.

For BANGKOK .-

KOK:-

For SHANGHAL—

BAY.-

For HOIHOW & PAKHOL.—

For CHEFOO & TIENT IN .-

day, the 30th inst.

day, the 30th inst.

For YOKOHAMA & KOBE.

day, the 30th inst.

the 1st July.

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the Mails, &c.

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Packet :--

tries and places :---

Amoy.

Belgium.

* Bermuda.

Canton.

Ceylon.

Iceland

India.

Japan.

Lagos

Italy.

Cape Colony.

(Constantinople).

Canada.

Azores Is.

For SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW.

Per Baiphong, at 11.30 a.m., on Wednes-

Per Taichiow, at 11.30 a.m., on Wednes-

Por Phra Chula Chom Klao, at 11.30 s.m.,

Per Northern, at 2.30 p.m., on Wednes-

Per Canton, at 2.30 p.m., on Thursday,

For STRAITS, COLOMBO, AND BOM-

For NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA.

For STRAITS AND CALCUTTA .--

MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET .-

Per Medusa, at 11.30 a.m., on Friday,

Per Teheran, at 1.30 p.m., on Saturday,

Per Wingsang, at 3 p.m., on Saturday,

The British Contract Packet Resetta

will be despatched on THURSDAY, the

1st July, with Mails for the United

Kingdom, Europe, and countries be-

yond, vid Brindisi; to the Straits Settle-

menta, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, India,

French Contract Packet Oxus

will be despatched on THURSDAY

the 8th July, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe, and places

beyond, vid Naples; to Saigon, Straits

Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon,

the Australasian Colonies. Pondichery.

Madras, Calcutta, Aden, Mauritius,

HOURS OF GLOSING

THE ENGLISH MAIL

patterns cesses.

3.10 p.m.—Letters may be posted with

Late Fee of 10 cents until

3.30 P.M.—When the Post Office closes

3.40 P.M.—Late Letters may be posted

Money Orders.

1.-Money Orders are issued at Hong-

kong and Shanghai on the following coun-

on board the packet with Late

Fee of 10 cents until time of

* Madeira.

* Mauritius.

* Newfoundland.

* New Zealand.

Ningpo.

Norway.

* Portugal.

* S. Helena.

* Seychelles.

Swatow.

* Switzerland.

Tasmania.

* United States.

Victoria.

2-Orders on the Countries marked * are

forwarded through the London Post Office,

* Sweden.

Shanghai.

Sierra Leone.

South Australia.

Straits Settlements

United Kingdom.

Western Australia

Danish, and Dutch).

*West Indies (British

North Borneo.

Port Darwin.

Queensland.

New South Wales

* Malta

"Natal.

Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar.

Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar.

The usual hours will be observed in closing

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET.—

on Wednesday, the 30th inst.

For SWATOW, SINGAPORE & BANG

For NEW YORK .-

For SATGON.—

ABBIE CARVER, American barque, Capt. B. C. Pendleton.—Order. To DEPART. ALFRED WATES, American ship, Capt. H. Per Iolani, for Singapore, 608 Chinese. A. Hyler.--Douglas Lapraik & Co. Atma, German barque, Capt. R. Alberta. POST OFFICE NOTICES. –Melchers & Co. BASH J. H. Bowers, Amer. barque, Capt

John A. Plum. - Chinese. Borvin, Norwegian barque, Captain C: Henriksen. - Tong Sang Wo. Per Parthia, at 2.30 p.m., on Tuesday, CATALINA. British brig. Captain A. R. Pilkington. Jardine, Matheson & Co. CHARLES DENNIS, American ship, Capt. Allens.—Order. Per Japanese, at 4.30 p.m., on Tuesday, E. J. Spence, British barque, Captain J.

the 29th inat., instead of as pre-H. Gill.-Order. G. C. Tobey, American barque, Captain R. G. Delano. -- Ed. Schellhass & Co. Per Partridge, at 4.30 p.m., on Tuesday, HENRY S. SANFORD, American ship, Capt. G. W. Pendleton.—Adamson, Bell & Co. J. D. PETERS, American ship, Capt. G. A. Lane.—Messageries Maritimes. Per Johann, at 5 p.m., on Tuesday, the

LEONORA, Austro-Hungarian ship, Capt. G. Moresan. - Melchers & Co. Oasis, American ship, Captain Dillon. -Per Frejr, at 5 p.m., on Tuesday, the Melchers & Co. Suzz, British steamer, Captain Dodd.-

Gibb, Livingston & Co. WANDERING MINSTREL, Br. barquentine Capt. Hudson. -- Arnhold, Karberg & Co. WM. LE LACHEUR, British barque, Capt. . H. Veitch.—Arnhold, Karberg & Co.

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW

Shipping. 3 p.m. - Parthia leaves for New York. 4 p.m.-Peking leaves for Shanghai. 4 p.m.-Celebes leaves for Batavia, &c. Goods per Glenlyon undelivered after

this date subject to rent. Auctions. 2 p.m. —Auction of Household Furniture

&c., at the residence of No. 1, Lower West Terrace. General Memoranda.

Wednesday. June 30:--Interest of Chinese Loan of 1884 payable

Goods per Celtic Monarch undelivered after this date subject to rent. THUBSDAY, July 1:-Goods per Steamer Saghalien unclaimed after Noon subject to rent and landing charges at 1 cent per package per diem.

Goods per Wingsang undelivered after this date subject to rent. SUNDAY. July 4:---Goods per Lydia undelivered after this date subject to rent. Monday, July 5 :-

Claims against the Northern must be sent in to Messrs Russell & Co., on or before this date. Goods per Glenfruin undelivered after this date subject to rent.

THUBSDAY. July 8:-Noon.—Meeting of The Dairy Farm Co., Ltd., at No. 5. Stanley Street.

Tuesday, July 13:-Pokfoolum, with Buildings, at Messrs. far. David Sassoon, Sons & Co.'s office.

> SILICATED CARBON FILTERS

he following hours are observed in closing | PURIFYING DRINKING WATER.

Mails, &c., by the British Contract P.M.—Registry of Letters ceases. Posting of all printed matter and in three useful sizes has

3 P.M. Mail closed, except for Late just been received by the Under-

WATSON & Co., LIMITED,

THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY

Hongkong, April 27, 1886.

BIRTH. On the 27th June, at Stonehaven Robinson Road, the Wife of F. T. PEARCE FOSTER, of a Daughter. MARRIAGE. On the 20th May, at the English Legation.

Tokyo, by the Rev. A. C. Shaw, John Cola HARTLAND, son of the Rev. E. J. Hartland, to Acatha Bessie, daughter of Perceva DEATHS.

On the 13th Instant, at Nagaura, Japan WILLIAM Scorr, late chief engineer of th N. Y. K. S. S. Co.'s steamship Shario maru On the 14th Instant, at Nagaura, Japan, 39 minutes. PETER ANDERSON, a native of Denmark and late second engineer of the N. Y. I S. S. Co.'s steamship Shario-maru. On the 22nd June, at Shanghai, suddenly ADOLPH NACHTRIES, sged 46 years.

The publication of this issue commence at 7.45 p.m.

The China Itlail.

HONORONG, MONDAY, JUNE 28, 1886

TELEGRAMS.

PARLIAMENTARY INTELLIGENO London, 26th June, 1886

The Queen's speech proroguing Parlia-(according to the currency the Order is ment states that Parliament will be dissolved profit in order to ascertain the sense of the people if in favor of the proposal to grant an Irish THE Government of the Protectorate of Parliament.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

PASSED SORE CANAL OUTWARD BOUND :- Compton, May 4; Kick tra, 28 | Anchises, Ava, Pandora, Juns George, 15 ; Joson, 18 ; Yangiet, 22, HOMEWARD BOUND : -- Morcy: June Kalson, 15; Antenor, Massalia, 18

next Excuse Mart, per the P. & Co.'s steamer Surat, left Singapore on Thursday, the 24th instant, at 4 p.m., and may be expected here on or atom. Treaday, the 28th last.

O. S. S. Co. s steamer Steator Perim on the 18th metant, and in one here on the let proximo

148 Europeans and 2,004 Chinese visited the City Hall Museum during the week ending the 27th June. Owners will be Responsible for

> THE coasting trade of Annam and Tonkin. fermerly reserved to native boats, is now opened to boats flying the Franch flag.

WE note that the Hon. E. J. Smithers. U.S. Consul General at Shanghai, is a passenger on board the Parthia for New York.

His Kr. Sir John Walsham has been antertained by the Viceroy, Li Hung-chang, at

ANOTHER detective named Trang Asse, No. 133, has been dismissed from the Police Service for being a member of the Triad

A Hung-ra interpreter her at last been got, and another attempt will likely be made tomorrow to make progress with Chang Chi's

THE prisoners connected with the Gough Street riot and the West Point riot have all been committed for trial at the next Criminal Sessions.

THE steamship Camorta, her repairs having now been almost entirely completed, is advertised to leave here on the 6th July for Singapore and Penang.

To-DAY being the anniversary of the coronation of Queen Victoria, a royal salute was fired by the battery at North Point and the saluting ships-of-war in harbour.

We read in the Japan Gazette that Miss Eva Davenport, and Mesers Tyrrell and O'Brien gave a very successful entertainment in Yokohama on the 19th instant.

CUA-DAY and the port of Nam-dinh have been opened to foreign commerce. A customs-post is to be established on the Day at the entrance of the canal of Phat-

It is, perhaps, worthy of note that the steamers Glenfruin (Captain Norman) and Camorta, victims of the memorable collision which occurred here in October last, are again in our harbour.

According to the Shanghai Courier the P. and O. steamer Havenna, one of the steamers with new season's tess, left Port Said for London at S a.m. on Sunday, the 3 p.m.—Auction of Farm Lot 1/o. 38, 20th instant. Her run was a good one thus

> An amended scale of diet for Chinese and coloured prisoners in Victoria Gaol is published in Saturday's Gazette. The only amendment introduced is that punishment diet is reduced from 11b. to 12oz. common

An Indian telegram says that King Louis Shipment of these Filters been declared insane. The telegram received here announcing his deposition said nothing as to his having been declared

VICE-ADMIRAL CHESTAROYP, Minister of Marine and aide de-comp to H. I. H. the Grand Duke Alexis, General-Amiral of the Russian Navy, and essets are pasyengers on board the Mosker, which arrived here yesterday, bound for Vladivostook.

Ir is rumoured (says the Cathay Post) that Sir Robert Hart, Inspector General of Oustoms, will shortly proceed home on furlough, and that during his absence the Hankow Commissioner of Customs will officiate, conjointly with a well-known Medico, as Inapector General.

THE steamship San Pablo, Captain E. C. Arthur Smith, Esq., of the Admiralty, Reed, which strived here this morning, has made another rapid run across the North Pacific, her mean time between San Francisco and Yokohama, including 5 hours detention by fog, being 16 days, 2 hours and

> TELEGRAK in an American paper announces the loss of a steamer which was at one time well known on this coast as follows :- London, May 30. - A despatch from Australia reports the loss of the stealner Lycemoon, from Melbourne for Sydney, off Green Cape. Seventy persons were drowned.

Touching the new Spirite Licences, which will come into force on the lat proximo, we hear that the growling among some of the wholessie dealers still goes on, and that several of the smaller dealers threaten to withdraw from the [Spirit Trade, as the price of the licence would est up the entire

Annam and Tonkin has indisted on the inhabitants of the villages of Thong-nam and Thong-dong, for pillage of a junk belonging to M. M. Lercy & Co., an indepenity of plastres 1,991.69; to be patit to Means Leroy, and a fine of plantres 508.31, to be 11 Benglos, Glenariney, Priam, Priar | paid into the treasury of the Protectorate.

> WE regret to have to record the death from lever of Mr. J. Twitten, Acting Commissioner of Customs at Hollow, which occurred on topic the Corresponding stancer Alugie. hours' steam from Longkong . During that day a minuter of the ships in Lactions Say their endone at field truck as a mare of

A. G. STOKES, Ston Brobw.

coast on the 16th inst., at the rate of fourteen knotes struck as huge monster, which was estimated to weigh over half a ton and was thought to be a species of Sun-fish (Genus, Orthagor sous). The blow appears to have been fatal, for the creature was secured by a bowline and towed for a considerable distance. It was, however, eventually, lost.

THE dismissal of Li Fult Shing, late Clerk and Interpreter at the Police Magistracy, from the public service, is notified in Saturday's Gazette Nothing is said as to the cause of his dismissal. If, as we have heard, he was dismissed because of his connection with the Triad Society, we think this should have been mentioned; and if his connection with this Society was clear, we think there is no reason why official action should not have gone further.

A TELEGRAM to the Journal Officiel of Cochin China gives fuller, particulars with regard to the measure passed by the French Government expelling the pretenders to the throne of France. The telegram is to the following effect :- The Chamber of Deputies has voted the formal expulsion of the Comte de Paris, Prince Jerome Napoleon and their direct heirs. The Chamber gives the Government the power to expel the other members of the families of the pretenders to the throne of France.

THE death of M. Romanowsky, vice-residen of Thai-nguyen, is reported from Tonkin He died from dysentery with which he was attacked two days after arriving at his post. M. Romanowsky served for three years in Tonkin : first as doctor of the marine of the expeditionary corps, in which capacity he gained on the field of battle the cross of Chevalier of the Legion of Honour, H afterwards acted as under-resident at Bacninh, and as stated had just been appointed vice-resident of Thai-nguyen.

New Harbour Regulations regarding the fairways, men-of-war's anchorage, steamlaunches and steam-whistles, in lieu those published on the 12th June, are published in Saturday's Gazette. The only changes on the old regulations are that steam-vessels under 50 tons shall have inboard screens fitted to its side lights as the Harbour Master shall approve, instead of having boards projecting at least three feet forward from the lights; and that no sleamer when entering or leaving the harbour, or when at anchor therein, shall use her steam-whistle except for the purpose of navigation and to avoid collision. The use of any steam-whistle for any other purpose is prohibited.

THE French are apparently to treat the tion for the town of Hanoi is to be composed of the following members-4 civil func tionsries, named by the Resident General 8 French Residents of Hanoi, named by the Resident General; 6 Annamite notables, named by the village councils in the town; and the chief of each of the two Chinese congregations in the town. The Council will be specially consulted on questions of roads, municipal police, and mealures that may interest the salubrity of the town of Hanoi.

D'Amir du Tonkin is now to appear week ly instead of only three times per month This development follows suit on the development of the country, says the editor. 'An English newspaper of Hongkong,' he Bays, treated in recently as an enthusiast. It was not wrong, and we are proud of the Yes, we are enthusiastic, but our enthusisem is not without due reflection we have an unshakable faith in the desti nies of Tonkin. After the numberless adventures through which it has just passed, what may not one predict of this beautiful and righ country, now that its definite pacification is so near and that men of so enlightened intelligence with for its prosperity. We wish our confrare all success.

As will be seen from an advertisement column, the monopoly of the importation, transport and sale of oplum in the 13 provinces of Tonkin will be adjudged on the 20th July 1886, at nine o'clock in the morning, at the Residence Superioure at Hanoi. The conditions and acts relative to the contract Chancellerie of the French Consul at Hongkong. Particulars may also be had there with regard to the river boats for Tonkin. the adjudication of the contract for which will also be settled on 20th July at the Residence Superieure at Hanoi. Before that date, however, written or telegraphic notification must be made to the Resident Superiour by intending competitors.

Tsang Ayung was charged at the Police Court this morning, before Mr Mitchell-Innes, with rescuing two prisoners from the contacty of a lakong, P.C. 281. The lukong said he arrested this morning two gamblers, but on the way to the station at Triangle Street defendant went into a bouse and returned with four men. With their aid he rescued the prisoners, who ran away. Afterwards the lukong arrested defendant on the Prays. In answer to the bere with the English mail for Shanghai. accused the leicong said there were siways two latches of anen passibling at dice

Leander whilst steaming along the Japanese fought with revolvers. The case was remanded to Wednesday.

> Our Yokohama contemporaries mention the death from cholera of Mr W. Scott, chief engineer, and Mr Anderson, second ensincer, of the s.s. Shario Maru. Mr. Scott there. was taken ill at 9 o'clock on the morning of the 12th instant and died 28 hours afterwords. Mr Anderson was ill about the same length of time. The Guzette says date to Yokohama went ashore on the 14th that quite a large number of foreigners, however, both in Yokohama and Tokyo, stranded vessel. have suffered during the past few days from diarrhes, caused, in the opinion of many fruit had become watery and acid in consequence of continued wot weather. A seaman died on board the U.S. S. Omaka on the 18th instant from non-infectious cholera nostras, or English cholera. The bodies of the engineers were cremated, and the ashes

> aigned by the members of the Committee of the Hongkong Public School, relating to the caning of a boy by Mr Bateman (master of that school), to which we have already made reference. We noted in our previous | tractors' engineer being the same individual, remarks that a strong letter had been sent to us on this subject by the Hon. P. Ryrie. who till lately was a member of the School Committee; but as the publication of this letter was deferred, the joint reply of the Committee may not be fully comprehended by our readers, being, as it is, an answer to animadversions which have not yet found a place in our columns. It is necessary, therefore, to state the gist of what Mr Ryrie's letter contained. Mr Ryrie complained that what he termed the cruel treatment of the boy-i.e., the boy's punishment by the master with a cane across the back, administered on the spur of the moment-had escaped the strong censure of the Committee. Another point in the letter was that the boy was badly waled on the most dangerous part of the body, viz., the top part of the back above the lungs. These were the main points in Mr Ryrie's letter, and we think that they are necessary to a reasonable comprehension of the reply now made by the Committee. Our readers can judge for themselves on the whole case.

Switzerland, and Thomas Edwards, from England, were charged at the Police Court before Mr Mackean this forenoon with stealing \$20 belonging to two seamen on board the Freya. The statement of the first complainant Thomas Morganson was to the effect that the two defendants came on board the steamer Freya at half-past six o'clock in the morning and stayed on board Chinese residents at Hanoi in a liberal man- for an hour and a half. Five minutes bener as far as representation in local affairs fore they went on shore they asked one of is concerned. The Consultative Commis- the sailors for a drink. When they had a drink they asked the sailor to go on deck for a glass of water. During the time he took to execute this commission the acoused went to the forecastle and then on shore. Not long after this the complainant missed \$10 that were in the till of his chest, which was lying open in the forecastle. The money was in his chest the night before and was missed at 8.30 a.m. next day, or about half an hour after the accused left, and they were the only persons in the forecastle while the sailor went to fetch the drink of water. Another seaman named Edwards Clemson said he lost \$10 from his this information? chest, which was in the same forecastle as Morganson's. Their story, however, did list, and got the summons. I do not think not appear a very feasible one. The sailor said he was only absent one minute getting the drink of water, so that it would have been difficult for the accused to have secured the money and bolted. The accused were discharged.

Two seamen, Bernard Henry Myers, from

THE Remenyi Concert on Saturday evening was attended by a large and very appreciative audience, all parts of the house being well filled. As usual, the performances of the Maestro himself excited the greatest enthusiasm, and Signorina Marchetti's artistic singing and Mr Luckstone's brilliant pianoforte playing elicited much applause. We have already written so much of these high class entertainers that we can find nothing new to write. They were all in good form on Saturday night and fully sustained their reputations. Besides the artist and artiste named, M. Remenyi was assisted by Herr von Ville, with whom he played a violin duet, Mrs Fraser-Smith and are to be had smong other places at the Mr. N. J. Robinson. The dust was one of the most pleasing items in the programme and created quite a furore of applause. Mrs Frager-Smith sang 'Robin Adair' with some degree of taste, and received a hearty round of applause, and had to reply the encore by repeating the last verse of the song. Mr Robinson sang 'The Thorn' the first part, and Come into Garden, Maud' in the second. Mr Robinson, who is not yet very well known to Hongkong audiences, has a pleaant, well-trained, light tenor voice, and knows how it to use it with tasts and effect. He also catches the spirit of a song, and if he had been better acquainted with the acquatic qualities of the Theatre, he would havebeen heard to much greater advantage than he was. As it was, his softer passages were almost insadible.

M. THIRACT has been appointed Acting Bullah Lane. They tessed the women who | Consul General for France at Shanghal.

M. Remenyi and his company will leave

unroofed Chiarini's Circus at Shanghai. The damage was repaired by Tuesday.

Shanghai on the 19th instant from Tientsin. As previously mentioned, he is on his way to England to join the Chinese Logation

THE Japan Mail reports that the steamer Sukune Maru, one of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha boats, while on her way from Hakoinstant near Inuboye, in the neighbourhood of Cape King. Relief has been sent to the

F. SOHRORDER. a resident of Yaukiji, medical men, by eating strawberries, which | Tôkyô, has been found guilty in the Imporial German Consulate at the Japanese capital, of having wounded a native girl, through the careless use of firearms. was sentenced to pay a fine of 300 marks, or in default to be sent to gool for 20 days. and in addition to pay 70 marks to the box) wounded girl by way of compensation.

A CORRESPONDENT informs the N.-C. D. News that M. Ristelheuber has obtained a In another column, we publish a letter, great success for his Syndicate, and that negotiations are in progress for the construction of the whole dock and harbour works at Port Arthur by the Syndicate's contractors, for Tis. 800,000, an arrangement which would relieve the Chinese of all responsibility; and the consulting and con- of Englandthe risk of differences of opinion arising to retard the work would be avoided.

> THE N.-C. D. News hears from Canton that the Viceroy is in sore straits for money to pay for the arms and other muni- defence on your part. tions of war which he received from Germany during the troubles with France. Large sums, amounting to some millions of taels, are overdue, and to raise funds various plans, such as taxing the lotteries, granting monopolies and raising loans on rather indefinite securities have been prohaving been very pressing lately. Haikwan's chest shall be filled up. present there is a deficiency in it, part of which is of considerable age and amount.

SHANGHAI papers received yesterday announce the sudden death of Mr A. Nachtrieb, the head of the firm of Messrs Schonhard & Co. at that port. The Courier of the 22nd instant, in announcing his death, says :- Mr Nachtrieb dined with a party o friends last evening and retired to bed in apparently good health, but on the boy taking tea to him this morning he was found dead. Lately he has suffered from sudden rushes of blood to the head, and death resuited from congestion of the brain. ceased was a native of Frankfort, and came

to Shanghai about 1860 to join the firm of Messrs E. Buissonet and Co. Subsequently he established the house of Nachtrieb. Leroy and Co., and on this firm ceasing business five or six years ago, he took the position of chief partner in the firm Schonhard & Co., on the French Bund with which firm he has since been connect ed. Having been more than a quarter of century in China he was well known and deservedly respected, and his death is mourned by a large circle of friends.

THE BOWLER-SMITH LIBEL CASE The action for libel taken by Mr Thomas Ide Bowler against Mr Fraser-Smith, pro-Telegraph, came again before Mr Mackean at the Police Court this afternoon.

Mr Mackean, addressing Mr Fraser-Smith. said he understood he wished to say some-

Mr Fraser-Smith-Before saying anything I should like to see the sworn information on which this warrant was

Mr Mackean thought there was no objection to this, and handed the information to the defendant.

Mr Fraser-Smith-Would you tell me why I have not been served with a copy of

Mr Mackean-You are on the charge

Mr Fraser-Smith-A summons is hardly sufficient. It has already been proved that in a charge of criminal libel the defondant aught to be served with a copy of the information.

Mr Mackean-I am not prepared on the spur of the moment to say whether that is the case or not. You have been served with a warrant and you are before the

Mr Fraser-Smith-It has already been admitted that I am entitled to a copy of the sworn information.

Mr Mackean-That does not matter; you are before the Court.

Mr Frazer-Smith-I am quite aware that am before the Court. I have also to submit that according to the law of England—and consequently the law of this Colony-criminal proceedings cannot be taken in any Court without an application being made to the Attorney General. The law to the Secretary of the School, the other to was passed for the purpose of preventing cheap, nasty prosecutions by persons

the standing and position of this fellow. Mr Bowler-I object to such language. Mr Fraser-Smith-I am not addressing the left arm. you. Please be good enough to get out of the way. (Addressing His Worship) You are aware that this information is a very serious charge. It is a criminal charge for which a person can be sentenced to prison for two years with hard labour. But strange to relate, although the law of England is clear on the matter, this person finds a magistrate complacent enough on his mera ipse dixif to grant a criminal warrant against me; and he finds another magistrate, also singular to relate, who is willing to commit to the Supreme Court on the statement of this person. As I told your Worship I would rather like this case to go to the Supreme Court, and I trust it you can see your way to send it up you wil

do so, but I do not gent to allow this pro-

accution to be a chesp one for the prostou-

According to the Japan Gazette. H.M.S. pass that way; and about ten days ago they de violent storm of wind and rain on Mon- at law; and I am perfectly certain if it fore your colleague, you would never have granted a warrant on such information. THE son of H.E. Li Hung-chang arrived at I am perfectly willing to leave the matter in your hands. If you consider that a case has been made out, if you think it possible for a jury to convict-that is the possition you hold in this enquiry-you have a right to commit. (Turning to Mr | an offensively-worded letter to the Secretary, Bowler) We might just as well have Mr

> Bowler in the box. Mr Mackean - Would you point out where it is stated that no criminal proceedings can be taken except by the fiat of the Ryrie's communication, the Secretary took Attorney-General.

Mr Fraser-Smith-I cannot show you here. But I don't press the point of law. I am quite willing to leave that. I think would step here (pointing to the witness apparent acquiescence.

Mr Mackeau-I cannot permit Mr Bowler to stop here. I have meraly to look at the document produced and say if it is a libel. Mr Fraser Smith-You have to consider whether a prima facie case has

been made out, whether you consider it

likely for a jury to convict. Mr Mackean-You referred to the law Mr Fraser-Smith-When I referred to the law of England I was simply referring to what ought to have been done before

the case came on at all. I am now prepared to cross-examine Mr Bowler on the statements he has made. Mr Mackean-That will amount to a

Mr Smith-No defence at all. I wish to show you that the information is false to begin with; and then I will show that it is not a libel. In the first place, I am going to prove the presecutor a liar and a perjurer. I refer you to the case of Nelson v. Pitman, which was tried in the Police posed; the foreign creditors of the Viceroy | Court some years ago, occupying some five or six days. I think, and it was exactly on Excellency has also been requiring that the the same lines as this case. In the case I allude to the Magistrate did think there was a case to go before a jury. I am going lowing telegrams from our exchanges :-to try to convince you that no jury in the Colony would convict upon the information. I have a right to convince you if I can. Mr Mackean-The only thing to be de-

cided is .- is not this a libel on the face of it. I think it is a libel. Mr Fraser-Smith-But you do not know the throne. the facts of the case.

Mr Mackean-Your proving the facts is entering upon a defence. I think it is perfectly plain. You say he published statements which were not only false and gratuitous but which he knew to be false and gratuitous when he put them in print. Mr Fraser-Smith-Is that libellous?

Mr Mackean-I think so. Mr Fraser-Smith-I don't think so. I should like your Worship or the prosecutor to answer the innuendo.

case that that must be so. Mr Hayllar had to do the same thing on the demand of Mr. Francis in the charge of libel against Mr Pitman.

Mr Mackean thought he had better take time to consider the cases referred to by Mr Fraser-Smith, and said he would adjourn the case till Thursday.

Mr Fraser-Smith—I am simply claiming a right. I am endeavouring to fight this case. I protest in the most emphatic prietor and publisher of the Hongkong manner against this cheap, nasty, filthy whole course of the libel-law there was even a prosecution of this kind before. Crimina prosecutions are always confined to men of rank and position, such as officials that cannot sue for damages. But a person of such a class as this man here, if he has a character, which I suppose he has of some kind—a person of this sort.— Mr Bowler-I protest. He has no right

te use such language. Mr Mackean-Ithink so too. Remanded till Thursday.

Mr Fraser-Smith-I don't wish to have any conversation with this person. Mr Mackean-Remanded till Thursday at ten o'clock. Mr Bowler-I think Mr Thomas E.

Candler might be subposneed. From the nature of Mr Smith's remarks, I think it would be necessary to get his evidence. Mr Fraser-Smith (going out of the room) -He can subposns any one-the whole Co-

lony if he likes. Mr Bowler-If anything could show the vindictive character of the defendant, would be the remarks that have just fallen from him in Court.

Mr Deacon watched the case on behalf f Mr Candler..

CORRESPONDENCE.

THE HONGKONG PUBLIC SCHOOL (To the Fditor of the 'CHINA MAIL.') SIR,-The following are the facts which Mr Ryrie alluded in the letter he sent you for publication on the 24th inst. A boy of about fourteen years of age, who had been repeatedly warned and remonstrated with for persistent neglect of work; was guilty, on Tuesday, June 15th, wilful carelessness and disobedience in connection with a lesson then being given to his class. On being reprimanded he treated the whole matter with indifference. He was in consequence punished at once by Mr Bateman with a cane, which was applied

several (Mr Bateman thinks haif a dozen) times across his shoulders. The boy's father took him to Mr Ryrie who wrote two strongly-expressed notes, one Mr Bateman, on the subject.

The Bishop and Mr Laster examined the boy together, and found that he had one well-defined mark on the back between the shoulders, but the rest of the marks were

Both the Bishop and Mr Lister were

agreed that the words brutal flogging

were atterly inapplicable to the caning, although they both felt that it was injudicious to inflict corporal punishment in the heat of the moment, and on the shoulders. They considered that the boy himself was not in the least injured. He is robust and stout, and having, as natural in our summor, but a small amount of clothing ou. the marks were the more easily made. A Committee meeting was called to consider the case, and although Mr Ryris expressed himself strongly, the final decision, in which Mr Ryrie was understood to con cur, was, that the Committee considered Mr Bateman to have acted injudiciously inflicting corporal punishment at once, an on the shoulders. The Chairman was puted, also with Mr Ryrie's consent, convey this opinion verbally to Mr Bate-

As the Committee were convinced that corporal punishment could not be forbidden. cortain raise were drawn up regulating for the future the time and manner of its This is exactly a case for an action flighton.

are parents with boys at the School. They stones are continually falling. both spoke in the highest terms of Mr Bateman's earnestness and value as a toncher, of their confidence in him, and of the importance of maintaining his authority in the School. These opinions were supported by every member of the Committee who knows Mr Bateman. Every member who is not absent from the Colony was

present at the meeting. On the 22nd instant Mr Ryrie forwarded tendering his resignation of his sent on the Committee, and accompanying that resignation with a threat that if his views were not met he would publish his letter in all

In acknowledging the receipt of Mi the opportunity to recapitulate the facts, very much as they are set forth above, and requested Mr Ryrie, if he must have recourse to the newspapers, to publish the whole correspondence, in fairness to his late colleagues, from whom he had parted we can settle the matter if Mr Bowler only a few hours before, in friendliness and

It is to be regretted that Mr Ryrle did not take the ordinary and honourable course of simply handing both letters to the Press, and leaving the public to judge for itself. In apparent anxiety to get his own side of the question, and his own side of it only, before the community, he recast his letter, making it a little more intemperate than it was before, and, after the lapse of three days, he addressed it to the public journals, instead of as originally, to the Secretary of the School.

J. S. BURDON, Bishop. JOHN CHALMERS. D. R. CRAWFORD. H. W. DAVIS. G. R. LAMMERT. A. P. McEWEN. JOHN B. OST. A. LISTER.

Hongkong, 26th June, 1886.

NEWS BY THE AMERICAN MAIL.

The O. & O. Co.'s steamer San Pablo. Captain E. C. Reed, which arrived here this morning, brought on the American mail of the 2nd instant. We take the fol-

DON CARLOS DEFIANT. Paris, May 22 .- Don Carlos has published a manifesto repudiating the infant son of Queen Christina as the rightful successor to the throne of Spain. He declares that

4- MINISTER WITHOUT TACT.

New York, May 23 .- A correspondent of the Tribune, writing from Tokio April 24th. tive criticism by an attempt to reform the ernment. domestic economy at the Legation. - She began by changing some necessary appen-

A PROPOSED AMERICAN COLLEGE IN CHINA New York, May 24. - The Tribune says An effort is being made to obtain money to establish a college in China similar to the Robert College in Constantinople. It is intended to have the conduct of the institution under a board of Trustees incorporated in the United States, who shall have charge of raising and investing endowments. The college will have preparatory, collegiate and medical departments under American professors to educate men as Christian teachers, ministers and physicians. The enterprise receives the highest approval Rov. Drs. W. M. Paxton, R. R. Booth, F. F. Ellinwood, A. P. Happer, W. A. Wheelock, Ezra M. Kingsley and Peter in the true virus of rabies. Carter. As soon as \$300,000 has been secured the college will be opened.

with the unjust demand.

PRECAUTIONS AGAINST THE PRENCH IN

ALBACE-LORBAINE. Berlin, May 23.—Emperor William has given orders that army officers now studying in France shall henceforth study in division will be sent to reinforce the garrison at Magdeburg. The North German Gazette affirms that in addition to cavalry divisions mentioned, an increase of all important garrisons will be effected once; and it also says that an official of the the Chamber in favour of expelling the War Office has gone to Alsace to make the necessary preparations in connection with the proposed strengthening of the forces by sacrificing the Cointe de Paris. In any

Prince Bismarck has instructed Count one expelled. Von Munster, the German Embassador at Paris, to inform M. De Freycinet that the reports of change in the friendly sentiments of Germany toward France are without

THE PANAMA CANAL. New York, May 25.—The Herald's Paris General Booth, Commander of the Army, cable special of May 24th says : The Cabi- in his opening address gave statistics shownet decided to day to authorize the Panama | ing the work performed by the organization Company to issue a loan of 600,000,000 during the past year. He said that in france in shares, provided the company is Great Britain alone \$350,000 had been conable to prove that this sum is sufficient to tributed to the Army's tressury; 1,000 complete the canal. The company, on the girls were rescued from life on the streets, other hand, has decided to postpone the and nineteen homes for the poor and friendexecution of all work not absolutely indis- less had been established and put in workpensable to the opening of the canal to ingorder. DelegateSmith from the United traffic, and thereby fulfill the conditions chiefly if not entirely on the upper part of required by the government and obtain the authorization to borrow the 600,000,000 by his thrilling stories of souls saved. france, without which it would be compelled to stop all further work.

> AGAIN REJECTED. Loudon, May 24 - The House of Lords. by a vote of 149 to 127, rejected the second | English waters. A artiller, are from the reading of the bil legalizing marriage with rock was opened an the cutter, which wes deceased wife's sister. The Prince of eventually brought to Gibraltar with the Wales supported the bill. The Duke of these boats, by a British armed launch. Connaught, who was in favor of the was paired. Fifteen Bishops woted with the majority. THE GREAT CARSMEN TO MEET.

New York, May 28. - The Herald's London correspondent says that a sculling race for the world's championship on Thames for a sweepstake of £200 with £500 added, will take place in tember or October. Beach, Hanlan, and Teemer are expected. Beach confident of defeating Haulan in a race to be rowed not later than August.

THE REUPTION OF ETNAL Catanta, May 25 - The eruntions of Mount Etha have greatly increased; and the destruction of the town of Nicolesi now section inevitable. The satire district is tegrity. The moment you have a strong

Two of the members of the Committee enveloped in darkness, and showers of A CHINESE LAWYER.

New York, May 27. - Among the graduates of the Columbia Law School last night was Hong Yen Chang, the first Chinese lawver educated in America. He intends to join the New York Bar.

THE PACIFIC MAIL MERTING.

New York, May 26 .- The annual meeting of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company took place this afternoon, 156,000 shares out of 200,000 being represented. President Houston in his annual report says that the net earnings for the year ending April 1886, were about 63 per cent. He alludes to the loss of the City of Tokio in June last as the cause of the decrease in the carnings of the China line. A reduction of \$120,000 a year in the amount received on through freight under the guaranty of the overland railroads also occasioned a decrease in the earnings. A weekly service between New York and San Francisco, has been established since the discontinuance of the arrangements-with the overland railroads and is now in full operation. During the year ending April 30th the fotal earnings were \$4,480,000; total expenses. 83,180,000; net earnings, 81,30,000 The company's cash assets are \$834,000 liabilities, \$531,000. The election Directors resulted in the choice of Jay Gould, Sidney Diller, Russell Sage, C. P. Huntington, Henry Hart, William Remson, Edward Lauterdach, J. W. Shaw and J. B.

NOVA SCOTIA ANXIOUS TO MANAGE HER OWN AFFAIRS.

New York, May 28 .- The Sun's Halifax disputch says that the Nova Scotians seem bound to break their connection with the Ottawa Government and have direct relations with England. It adds that the campaign which will be waged between now and June 15th, when the election comes off, will be almost wholly a battle to decide whether or not the majority of voters take this rebellious view. The present indications point to an overwhelming Liberal victory, as the sentiment in favor of saying good-bye to Canadian rule is very strong in every county. Still, as yet there is little talk about annexation to the United States or the fermation of another dominion. Chicago, May 27.—The Tribune's Halifax

special says: In an addres to be issued tomorrow by Premier Fielding the following occurs: 'In the opinion of the Government the time has come when the people of Nova Scotia should once more make an effort to obtain a release from the union into which they were forced. The dissatisfaction is so wide and deep that many are heard to say that no change could be for he will never renounce his own rights to the worse. Some of those who were the 1867 are now most outspoken in their expressions of hostility to it. After the Put it in the cupboard was the older failure of the repeal agitation of 1867 to when the physic came. Once his Maiestv says that the Japanese compare Minister accomplish its main purpose, the people was really ill for several weeks :-- As Hubbard unfavorably with his predecessor. settled down, not very cheerfully, it must any bottle or powder was brought his Ma-The correspondent called at the Legation be admitted, to make the best of the situ- jesty said, "Put it in the cupboard and and was met curtly by Minister Hubbard, ation. 'Give the union a fair trial,' said again it was, "Put it in the cupboard." who is described as appearing in his some. It has had a long and more than Not one drop was touched. Starving and shirt sleeves. He says that the criticism fair trial, and the verdict against it is more patience were the only remedies resorted to. of Hubbard while on the steamer was emphatic than before. We were assured At last his Majesty got his good turn, and more on account of his general man- by the fathers of the confederation that the began to feel he could eat again with a ner than any specific act. He discussed affairs of the Dominion could be carried on relish; and by degrees nature flung of her Mr Mackean-You are asking me to do his private affairs so loudly that everybody for twenty years or more at an annual cost disorder, whatever it was, which had ron all that must be done at the Supreme Court. | could hear him, and adds that when he was of eleven or twelve millions, but the its course. His Majesty was up and dressed Mr Frazer-Smith-No. In the Police invited to occupy a pew in the Union expense exceeds the enormous aum of early, and at business. Get all those Court, it was distinctly laid down in that Church he drew himself up and said: I thirty-five millions, while the interest and bottles, powders, and pillboxes out of the am not a church man, but may be my fami- charges in connection with the public debt | cupboards " he said, " and range them in a ly will occupy it.' The Minister's wife absorb nearly as much as we were told row round the room." It was a very mail

THE RPSOM GRAND PRIZE. London, May 27 .- The race for the upon being up again, and looking so well. dages of the establishment. The remain- Epsom grand prize, for three-year-olds, "Yes, doctors," said his Majesty, "thank ing servants rebelled at being loaded down over the city and suburban course, about | God it is so. But look there-count it up t with duties that they never performed and one and one-que ter miles, at Epsons to- don't you think, if I had drunk all that never will. Hubbard ordered his inter- day, was won by word Arlington's bay colt d-d staff I should have been dead long preter to discharge the entire posse of ser. | Candlemas, Lord Brandford's chestnut colt | ago !" '-St James Budget. vants. To preserve the reputation of the Sir Hamo was second and T. R. Graham's prosecution. I do not think that in the Legation the interpreter refused to comply brown colt St. Mirin third. There were eight other starters The betting was all to five on Candlemas, ten to one against Sir Hamo and eight to one against St. Mirin. Candlemas won by a neck. There were four lengths between the second and

PASTEUR'S THEORIES CONFIRMED. New York, May 28 .- The Herald's London cable special says: The British Medical Journal, issued to-day, says : 'The investigation which is being conducted under the direction of the British Hydrophobia Commission has, so far as it has yet gone. afforded confirmation of the truth of certain points of great importance maintained by Pasteur. Little doubt now remains that the virus used by him in his experiments

A PREMIER ON HIS MUSCLE. St. Paul, May 27 .- A Winnipeg special to the Pioneer Press says; In the Legislature to-day a motion of confidence in the Norgusy Government was defeated. So hot was the discussion thereon that an onposition member crossed the floor after the Switzerland. The Tagblatt says that the debate and called Premier Norguay a conreported increase of the garrisons in Alsace temptible liar. The bulky Premier prompt. was exaggerated, but that another cavalry ly hit his assailant and a fight followed. though the combatants were separated. THE CONTE DE PARIS.

New York, May 28 .- The Herald's special cablegram of May 27th says : De Freycinct said this evening: 'If the feeling princes continues as strong and violent as to-day, then the Ministry can only be saved event, the Comte de Paris will be the only THE SALVATION ARMY'S WORK.

London, May 29.—The Salvation Army Congress opened to-day. It will remain in session a week. Two thousand officers and many thousands of soldiers of the Army from all parts of the world are present States made an address on the Army's work in America, and greatly moved the audience NAVAL ENGAGEMENT AT GIBRALTAR.

Loudon, May 29th. - Advices from Gibraltar any that a Spanish revenue cutter fire? upon and seized three trading toats in DIBBAELI ON IRELAND.

London, May 80 .- The Daily News reproduces a speech made by Benjamin Disraeli in the House of Commons in 1844. Diaraeli, in summing up the Irish question. said: Ireland is teening with a starving population and suffers from an absented each, sristocracy, an allen darch and the weakest executive in the world. The only remedy is revolution which is prevented by its connection with pererful England. Therefore England is legislily in an odious position, being the called of the misery in Iretherefore is to effect by his policy all the changes which a revolution would do lord bly. That if the Irish question in its in-

executive, a religious and politically just administration, you will have order in In-

WALLACE ROBS BRATER BY TERMER New York, May 31.-A sculling race between John Teemer of Pittsburg, and Wallace Ross of New York took place at Oak Point to-day in the presence of 5,000 people. The race was for \$1,000 and 40 per cent of the net gate receipts. Ross got the outside position and at the crack of a pistol got slightly the best start, rowing forty strokes to the minute. Teemer hed no trouble to keep up to him, and they reached the turn together. Here Ross again started in the lead, but Teemer forced the gait, and in the last eighth made a spurt and went in winner by a little overa length. Time, 20 minutes, 28 seconds time for the first one and a half miles was

LATE INDIAN TELEGRAMS

London, 11th June .- In the House of Lords, Earl Carnaryon admitted that whilst he held the office of Viceroy in Iroland under Lord Salisbury's administrations, he had suinterview with Mr Parnell in July last; his lordship, however, denied having made any compact with Mr Parnell or having offered a parliament to the Irish people. Mr John Morley, Chief Secretary for Ireland, has arrived in Dublin, we

The riots in Belfast have been continued with unabated vigour; the police were compelled to make repeated attacks on the rioters. and being unable to cope with them thoroughly truops were called out to their meistance, and after charging with the bayonst eventually succeeded in dispersing the riotous, mob. Seven more deaths have occurred from wounds received in the riots. London, 12th June.-Mr Chamberlain has issued his electoral manifesto in which

he urges upon his constituents to declare against Home Rule for Ireland. He advocates the adoption of Local self-Government for England. Wales, Scotland and Ireland, which should be similar in all four In the House of Commons last night the Under Secretary for India, in reply to

question, said Government did not intend to proceed with the East India Railways

There was no further disturbance of the seace yesterday in Belfast and tranquility at present prevails. Reinforcements of troops are, however, being sent there as a precautionary measure against a fresh out-

King Ernest was very abstemious, and warmest advocates of the confederation in usually had the best of health; but if on occasions his doctors prescribed mediane. brought down upon herself considerable na- would pay the total expenses of the Gov- room, and they almost made a circle round the walls. The doctors came in smitking and smiling and congratulated the King

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METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER AT 4 P.M. TO-DAY.

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Houghong, Observatory, June 28, 1886. SUN AND TIDE TABLE FOR

HONGKONG. (From The Hongkong Almanack)

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The following extracts are taken from the Report of the Colonial Surgeon for the year 1885 which was laid before the Legislative Council on the 14th ultimo :--

GOVERNMENT CIVIL HOSPITAL. Hongkong, May 10th, 1886. Sir.—I have the honour to forward my Annual Report for the year 1885, together with the Tables showing the work done in the different Establishments in my Department. I also forward reports from the Superintendent of the Government Civil Hospital, the Superintendent of the Lock Hospital, and the Government Analyst.

lows:—1881, 498; 1882, 540; 1883, 599; compared with 83 in 1885. 1884, 486; and 1885, 495; so that the deration, still continues. The average ing complicated machinery. strength of the Force in the last five years has been as follows:-1881, 624; 1882, 582; 1883, 658; 1884, 666; and 1885,

year, viz., three Europeans, one Indian and | could only be spared from their Military five Chinese. Two Europeans died in duties during the day, Dr Marques per-Hospital, one from cellulitie and one from formed the duties at night, or in his heat apoplexy. The other died in his own absence I was called upon. quarters from apoplexy. The Indian died while in India on leave. Of the Chinese, master were required, and a temporary three died in Hospital, one of these of one has been appointed with a strong re-

cholera, the rest away in China on leave. The Central District Stations, as usual. show up worst, but this year worse than next year. ever in the European portion of the Force, district in 1884 were 41, whereas in 1885 they numbered 77.

the worst of the outstations, sending on the | take a considerable time to instruct, before worst type of malarial fever cases, and this he can be of much service. is entirely due to the great amount of earthcutting in virgin soil going on in the neighbourhood.

The other stations were about the same average as last year. The only station that has been improved is that of the Water Police, on being removed from a Hulk to a large and airy building on shore.

The admissions to Hospital from the vayears are as follows:-

•	Евгорнань,	Indians,	-Ch(nese,
Admissions t		-	
Hospital,	1881 88	212	198
•_ •		230	227
Do.	1883113	246 .	239
Do.	1884 87	224	175
· Do.	1885 124	208	163
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This shows that the past year was worse than all the previous years amongst the Europeans, but shows a steady improvement amongst the Indians and Chinese: indeed for these two sections it has been the best year of the five.

The admissions to Hospital and deaths from the Police Force for the past ten years are given below.

	Admissions.	D caths.
1876,	. 410	7
	418	- 6
1878,	. 566	6
1879,	. 566	8
1880,	, 588	13
1881.	· . ·498	10
1882,	. 549	. 8
1883,	. 609	10
1884	. 486 -	7
1885,	495	9
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there is But a slight increase of 60 in their strength, both sickness and mortality having exceeded any year in the previous ten

Table IV gives the average strength of the Force, the admissions to Hospital, deaths with their percentage to strength for 1885. I give the number of admissions and deaths for the

past to:	n years below.	ı
	Admissions.	Deaths.
1876,	563	2
1877,	973	9
1878,	944	10
: 1879,		. 8
1880,		13
1881,		4
1882,		9
1883,		10
1884,		12
1885.	1.190	24

The sickness therefore exceeds any of the compared with three in 1884. previous years, by over seventy admissions,

to Hospital, twelve died. This accounts in ment, a great measure for the increase in the disease in the Chinese City of Kowloon, sitting to suggest a remedy if possible. and was sent in to Hospital immediately on his return to the Colony. No case was ad- sions to Hospital direct from the Courts: mitted to or occurred in the Gaol. In both Europeans suffering chiefly from alcoholia part to those occupied by Troops both as more to say on this subject when referring ty but with no particular symptoms from vious reports are still occupied for this purto the sanitation of the Colony.

GOVERNMENT CIVIL HOSPITAL This Establishment remains in the same condition as in my last Annual Report. The foundations, with their sustaining walls for the new wards, &c. have taken the whole year in construction, and I hope this year among the smokers of opium. The oldest admitted for the past 28 years and the will see their completion. The house for the Superintendent is no

finished and occupied. The admissions to Hospital this year have

exceeded all former years, but are only slightly in excess of those in 1883. The following table shews the number and position brought to Hospital during the past five yeris :---

1881.	1882.	1885.	1884.	1885,
Police,498	549	599	486	495
Board of trade, 117	116	110	60	100
Private paying			A	
Patients, 193	263	260	259	288
Government	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,			
Servants,67	88	105	96	√ 124
Police Cases, 189	207	227	231	\23E
Destitutes,222	230	201	228	270

vants, and Destitutes. The increase in the cressed in weight 1 lb. if the first month, hance, both among the men and women, number of Government Servants is chiefly and was never under freatment for any may be considered as very satisfactory. caused by those employed on the cause. Thit'amtuk excavations and tunnel which These are a few queen facts for the antihas proved very unhealthy work, and the opium smoking Society to digest. That a smonget the European and American re-

The appropers of admissions and deaths drame), increased his weight 6 lbs. in a the highest percentage for the last ten

Admissions. Deaths. 1,000 950 1,289 1,071 1,055 1,236 1,458 . 1,502 1,354 1,510

The percentage of deaths to admissions was 5.03, the highest percentage but two in the last ten years.

Sixteen of these deaths were from injuries. There were fourteen ones of gunshot wounds; of these two died. There The admissions from the Police Force to was a larger number of severe injuries than Hospital show the slight increase of nine in usual, as will be seen by reference to Table 1885 as compared with the admissions in No. V, those of contused wounds, many of 1884. For the last five years the number them of great severity, being more than of admissions to Hospital have been as fol- double; the number being 40 in 1884 as

In the last few years the number of improvement in the health of the whole surgical cases have been greatly on the Force taken as a total, when the strength increase, and this is to be expected with of the different years is taken into consi- the greater increase of manufacturies hav-- This year the Superintendent was absent

on sick leave for five months. During his absence Drs Dodd, Pike, and Thompson of the Army Medical Department acted al-There were nine deaths in the Force this ternately in his place; but as their services

> The services of another European wardcommendation from invest that the pointment shall be made permanent for for the first few days, and then the full

Mr Crow, the Apothecary and Analyst, for while the Indian and Chinese sections | was on the sick list for some time, and in this district show a decrease respectively | considerable difficulty was experienced durof 14 and 7 admissions, the European sec- ing his temporary absence, but this was tion shows an increuse of 36. The admis- less than it might have been, had there sions from this portion of the Force in this not been a Chinese Student Apothecary of considerable experience. His services we have unfortunately lost, and this year there Whitfeild Station still holds its own as is a new Stu lent Apothecary whom it will

SMALL POX HOSPITAL. Fourteen cases of Small Pox were admitted to this Hospital, of whom only one died. Most of them were of a mild type. In the summer months, when no small pox cases are received, this building was used as a Cholera Hospital; nine cases were received, of whom six died. There were three Europeans, one colored man rious sections of the Force for the last five and five Chinese; of these, three Europeans and three Chinese died.

PUBLIC MORTUARY. Table VIII gives the list of dead bodies brought in during the year, and these are yearly on the increase, (this list does not does it take up a great deal of this man's much as ten years.

which I hope will be sanctioned. VICTORIA GAOL. The following figures give the number of 1 see why the Chinese cannot. admissions and the daily average number of There is a large increase both in sickness | prisoners for the past ten years. There is

'		To(c	il No. admitte	
			to Gaol.	of Prisoners.
	1876,		4,062	432.60
	1877,		3,964	395. 22
	1878,		3,803	519.22
	1879,		3,665	576.13
	1880,		3,530	575.25
	1881		4,150	866.00
	1882,	·	3,498	622.00
	1883.		3,486	542.15
	1884,	٠	4,023	552, 00
	1885.	.,	3,610	530.00

number of admissions of nearly 400 as compared with 1884, with a decrease in the daily average of 22; but at times during the year the daily average was very high. The number of cases admitted to the Gaol Hospital were sixty-two less than in 1884, and the number of deaths two as

Every day there are numbers of petty and the deaths by eleven more than any complaints attended to that are not registered, also a number of malingerors and There was an outbreak of cholers among others that come up for examination or to the Troops, and of eighteen cases admitted | be reported on as to their fitness for punish-

Table XI shows the rate of sickness and mortality but not for the increase in sick- deaths with the percentage to total admisness. The cause of this outbreak amongst sions and daily average number of prisonthe Troops I cannot account for. No cases ers. In both cases this is very small, espeoccurred amongst the Police in the Colony. cially when the overcrowded state of the The one Chinese Constable that was admit- Gaol is taken into consideration, on which ted with choleraic symptoms contracted the subject a Committee of Inquiry is now Table XIa shows the number of admis-

cases the quarters are inferior for the most | Chinese from debility or venereal disease, Table XIb shews the number of opium regards ventilation and over-crowding, and smokers consuming one mace and upwards in the case of the Police some of the Stations | during the year, eighty altogether; of these are very greatly inferior in the unwhole | twelve only were admitted to Hospital, someness of their surroundings. I shall have seven of whom were suffering from debili- the private houses mentioned in my prethe effects of opium; one from generrhosa, pose and are barely sufficient to meet the one from bubo and two from aprains; requirements. I hope, as I said in my last none had to be admitted owing to any report, to be able to state next year that effects from the deprivation of opium. the patients are transferred to the new. Those suffering from debility were admit. Buildings. tod as soon as received. No deaths occurred Table XVa gives the number of patients opium smoker was 70 years of ago and had average number of days detention which is munities. been an opium smoker 52 years; his daily. 15.6, showing that the majority of cases consumption being three mace; his weight are of a mild type. on admission was 99 lbs. which increased Two members of the Police Force, both to 105 lbs. by the end of his first month in Europeans, contracted constitutional syphi-

> consumed 5 mace, was 56 years of age, and with a number of seamen, hit one man on had been an opium smoker 36 years; his the mouth inflicting a slight wound on weight was 115 lbs on admission, and 117 own knuckle from contact with the man's

on addition, was only in Gael two weeks, showed themselves. The Government,

patients suffer severely from malarial fever man 70 years old, 52 years an opium amoker, sidents in Hongkong. The percentage to consuming daily 3 mans (equivalent to 3 the number of residents for 1885, is 3.25,

THE HEALTH OF THE COLONY IN in Hospital for the past ten years are as fol- month, shows that his digestive powers at | years. It would have been less than 2 it behoves us to take all the precautions we terrible vice. His daily consumption of among the military. most men unaccustomed to its use in toxo- diseases which may arise from filth poison. logical works. Half a pint of gin is given as the smallest dose ever known to kill an adult ;-fancy a man consuming 12 pints of gin a day for 52 years.

It is curious how small has been the success of Europeans in introducing drunkenness amongst the Chinese, compared with their success amongst nearly every other race. Porhaps it is as well that the Chinese have chosen the lesser vice of opium smoking. Of 32 Europeans admitted to the Government Hospital, 6 were admitted suffering more or less from symptoms of Delirium Tremens. Of 221 Chinese admitted to Hospital 7 were suffering from debility, who were opium smokers; this is the only disease among the opium smokers that could be put down to opium. At the same time I am not of opinion the debility is directly so caused, as their powers of digestion are not impaired, and the result of

CHOIL PL	:armant	in an ioi	10M8 :	
No. 3	No. of years as Smokers,	Consump- tion per dien.	Weight on admission,	Weight at end of first month.
140	5	3 mace		94 lbs.
232		I made	99 lbs.	101 lbs.
364	32	5 mace	100 lbs.	*100 lbs.
470	52	3 mace	99 lbs.	105 lbs.
535				102 lbs.
663	10	2 mace	98 lbs.	102 lbs.
770	40		90 lbs.	
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The sole treatment these prisoners received was Quining mixture with low diet ordinary diet of the Gaol. They, all but the one marked with, * increased in weight and that one was only in Gaul two weeks; he lost no weight.

The lightest weight of these 7 was 90 lbs. on admission, whereas the lightest weight among the opium smokers admitted into Gaol was 80 and he was never under treatmont at all. The average weight of the opinm smokers was about 105, and 28 of them were up to or over the average weight of Chinamen admitted into Gaol which is about 110 lhs., that is giving a very liberal average from calculations made. My strongest chair-coolie, who is a giant compared with 99 out of every hundred in the Gaol, only turns the scale just under 130 lbs. It takes a great deal of fat and muscle to make up for the smallness of bone in Chinamen. Again I have to state that I find no special symptom as the result of opium smoking or its immediate stoppage. On the list of opium smokers the men range from 18 to 70 years of age, having been smokers from 1 to 52 years, and con-

suming from 1 to 5 mace. As I have stated a Committee of Inquiry is at present sitting on the subject of overinclude bodies brought from the Govern- crowding in the Gaol. The question is ment Civil Hospital for examination, after | whether the system can be rendered accordeath by the Coroner's order), Coroner's ding to European ideas sufficiently defer-Inquests being very frequent. Dr Mar- rent to prevent overcrowding, or whother ques has performed the duties of the we shall be compelled to increase the Medical Department of this new Establish- accommodation for the increasing number ment and been assisted by a Chinese of scoundrels coming from China proper, Wardmaster from the Hospital. This I for not one in a hundred is born and bred think is very objectionable, for not only in Hongkong, or been a resident for as

time when he can ill be spared at the I recommend a further reduction of diet, Hospital, but in view of the many and which years ago was reduced to what it is serious injuries in which he has to see to now on my recommendation, and I still the dressing of wounds, his employment as think, as I said years ago, the system of Post Mortem attendant is most object giving, from 10 to 20 strokes of the rattan tionable, and might add to the danger of for petty thefts, &c., instead of from a the patients. I have therefore strongly fortnight to three months' better entertainrecommended that instead of a watchman | ment in board and lodging with lighter at this place, a resident well paid Post work than any coolie has outside, would do Mortem attendant should be appointed, some good as a deterront.

That is the system pursued in India, and if the Indians can bear the rattan, I don't GOVERNMENT LUNATIO ASYLUM.

Table XId shows the number of admis- 1,534. sions, nativity, six and disease of patients received into this Institution. The number of admissions have been larger than purging occurred in July, when 98 died; usual and have in the majority of cases in August, 56 died, the few remaining been received from ships in harbour, Coast | cases occurred in June, September, Octo- | A Ports and Japan. It is a question whether | ber and November. this Colony should be saddled with the keep and expense of sending to their own | tary were 2 at the end of June, 9 from the country of destitute insane patients from 1 1st to the 16th of July and one in October; the Coast Ports, and the matter has been | the latter had been in Hospital three days referred to the Secretary of State. Of for other reasons and on the fourth morncourse in all cases in which their nationality | ing was seized with cholera and died in six can be proved, the Consuls pay their et- hours. All were Europeans. penses. The building, which has been now in use a year, has proved all that can be traced by the Military Authorities. There desired in the accommodation it affords. | are some theories about it, but nothing de-Three remained at the end of the year. Most have been sent to their native countries incurable.

TUNG WA HOSPITAL The total number of patients treated in this Hospital, which is entirely managed by Chinese Directors and Doctors, was 1,967. Of these 1,006 died. The number of out patients treated was 111,878. The number of moribund cases admitted

WES 283. The number that remained in Hospital at the end of the year was 99. The number of Patients, admitted to the Small Pox wards was 36; of these eighteen Force. died. The majority of these patients were

The number of Vaccinations performed in Hongkong and Kowloon was 2,120. The chief reason for the great mortality in this Hospital is that most of the patients. when admitted, are hopeless cases, the Chinese having a great antipathy to going into Hospital at all except in the last extremity, or in cases of utter destitution.

TEMPORARY LOCK HOSPITAL. The new Lock Hospital being still

The constable, a man of very good charac-One of the greatest opium smokers who ter, while defending himself in a scufff ibs. at the end of the first month of his teeth. The man struck must have been suffering from syphilitic scres in the mouth, The only other smoker of 5 mace was 64 for the wound received by the Constable years of age, had been addicted to this developed into a chancre and ultimately troublesome vice 32 years, weighed 10:) Ibs. secondary symptoms of a very severe form and left with the same weight he came in. am happy to say, has compensated the Con-The lightest weight on admission was 80 stable for his injury as far as lies in its 1,236 1,458 1,502 1,354 1,510 lbs., 5 lbs. heavier than the lightest weight power. Only one case of secondary Syphi-The increase is pretty evenly distributed admitted last year, he was 32 years of age, his was received into the Civil Hospital over all classes but chiefly noticeable on had only been a smoker 4 years; his con- from among the seamen in port. The Private Paying Patients, Government Ser- sumption being only 1 mage a day; he in- working of the Contagious Diseases Ordi-

> HEALTH OF THE COLONY. Table XVI shews the rate of mortality | 1885 at 175,995.

any rate were not much affected by this percent but for the deaths from cholera can to render the City of Victoria and the opium by smoking was enough to kill I give below the tables of the death rates of this character by better sanitation. twenty-four mon if eaten; allowing the li- for the past thirteen years I have been in The totals on these Tables show that the beral dose of 10 grains to each, whereas 4 | the Colony among the Europeans and Chi- Colony has been pretty steadily going from grains is given as a dose that would kill ness, as registered in Hongkong, from

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considerably both as regards the different classes of disease and the totals. For Enteric fevers the number of deaths recorded in the Chinese table vary from

the lowest in 1873, 12, to the highest in

1882, 679; this year 1885 the number was In the European table this disease had highest 1882, 10, this year 1885 the number is 7.

For simple continued fever the number f deaths recorded among the Chinese is lowest in 1882, 71, highest this year 1885, 755; the nearest to this year is 1879 when 733 deaths are recorded from this cause. For Typhus fever the lowest record among the Chinese is in the five years 1874, 1876, 1880, 1882 and 1885 none. The highest number is in 1881, 38.

For Diarrhoea the lowest record amongst the Chinese is in 1873, 195, the highest record 1878, 701, this year 1885 it is 561 deaths. To these diseases on the Chinese table are added this year cholera 7 deaths and a number of cases registered as vomiting and purging in which death occurred in most cases within 24 hours, 176 deaths. For Diarrhosa the lowest record among the Europeans was in 1878, 1883, 1885 the same number 9, the highest record was in 1875, 18 deaths.

This year 1885, for the first time in the past thirteen years, deaths from cholern are recorded, numbering 19. From all these causes the lowest total

among Europeans was in 1889, 19 deaths. the highest total was in 1882, 37 deaths Amongst the Chinese the lowest total from all causes mentioned in these tables was in 1873, 319, the highest total this year 1885,

The greatest number of deaths recorded among the Chinese as from vomiting and The deaths from cholera among the Mili-

The cause of the outbreak cannot be ITHE HOUSE in CASTLE ROAD No. 1

finits is known. Of the cases that were received into the session on the first of the month. Civil Hospital, the Europeans were desti-

tuto seamen, as also was the colored man, The Chinese also were destitutes with the exception of the Lokang. In nearly all these cases the attack began with a preliminary diarrhœa some days before the choleraic symptoms began.

A curious thing among the Military cases was that the greatest number of deaths from this cause occurred among the temperance men. No deaths from this cause occurred among the Indian portion of the Military

No deaths occurred among the European only one amongst the Chinese portion of the Force and this man, as I have already stated, was sent into Hospital immediately on his return from the mainland. No cases occurred in the Gaol, though Chinese were brought in from all parts of the Colony and many destitute European

beachcombers also daily. The cases that did occur registered as cholers or vomiting and purging were widely separated all over the Colony and among cupied as a portion of the Civil Hospital, the boat population. No particular district was specially attacked. Of course all precautions were taken to disinfect all the places where such cases were recorded as

having died. The only deaths that occurred, except in the case of the Military, were amongst the poorest of the European and Chinese community. No cases occurred among the wellto-do classes of either portion of the com-

the character of the disease. All the cases land issue was published fortnightly; but occurred at the time the stone fruit comes as it was deemed of special importance that into the Colony, none of it being grown a weekly budget of news should be prepared, BORDEAUX, LE HAVRE, DUNKIRK, Gaol, showing that 52 years of opium lis. In one of these cases, however, it was here. Mangoes, peaches, plums, laichees, it was decided to issue it weekly. Subsmoking had not much impaired his diges- contracted in the execution of his duty. &c., &c., all brought from a distance, all scribers at Home, and those at the Coast plucked in an unripe condition, a great deal Ports and in the interior, who find the N THURSDAY, the 8th of July, of it sold in an unwholesome condition of Overland edition a convenient form of newsunripeness or putrefaction. Then the small paper for their perusal, will welcome the S.S. OXUS, Commandant Lequeres, number of cases registered compared with change. The Overland China Mail, now a with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, the whole community and these only of the weekly compendium of news from the Far and CARGO, will leave this Port for the poorest class is to be taken into account | East, contains special Commercial intelli- above places. and the majority of the Military who died gence, special tables of Shipping, and other | Cargo and Specie will be registered for being temperance men. I think this out- information. The various Reports of Courts | London as well as for Marseilles, and acbreak may be attributed to unwholesome and Meetings, and all other news, are given cepted in transit through Morseilles for the fruit more than anything else, which in the in full as they appear in the Daily issue.

Case of the Military might have been ren
The attention of Advertisers is directed. Shipping Orders will be granted until dered more innocuous if a small amount of to a weekly newspaper, which is circulated Noon. stimulants had been taken,

> diarrhos smorg the Chinese was in 1878. Take the daily journals. 701 : there was not the slightest suspicion of cholers then. This year the diarrhots, included, amounted to 744. The population to us. in 1878 was estimated at 189,144 and in

Nevertheless, epidemic or not, there is no doubt at all that many cases of disrrhosa have thewn as a very bad type, terminating in a discharge of choloraic character, and to

surrounding villages fitter to resist diseases bad to worse as far as the Chinese are concerned.

Since 1873 any number of wells have been closed that, though in the heart of the town, had fair water in them that year. Now year after year more have to be closed. showing that the subsoil is steadily being poisoned by sewage. It is very little use the Government laying down proper main Bonus. drains if proper house drains are not connected with them, and house sewage is allowed to drain into the subsoil. It is not surprising that it takes a good deal of trouble to make Chinese house owners understand it, or if they do, to make them set upon the knowledge.

So we may annually expect worse and worse scares as each summer season approaches, till these matters are remedied. propared to GRANT POLICIES on MARINE An immense deal of fuse has been made about Quarantine. What we have got to do rates. is to look at home, and not prepare a hotbed for the reception of disease, as a gardener does for mushrooms.

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